

AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION:

Please replace the paragraph on page 8, lines 17-19 with the following amended paragraph:

Herein, said resistance going from the first driver into the first row electrode is larger than a resistance going from the second driver into the second row electrode.

Please replace the paragraph on page 12, lines 12-27 with the following amended paragraph:

As shown in Fig. 8B, a rising edge Tr1 of the first sustain pulse SUS1 is longer than [[to]] a rising edge Tr2 of the second sustain pulse SUS2; a sustain interval Ts1 of the first sustain pulse SUS1 is shorter than a sustain interval Ts2 of the second sustain pulse SUS2; and a falling edge Tf1 of the first sustain pulse SUS1 is identical to a falling edge Tf2 of the second sustain pulse SUS2. As a rising edge of the sustain pulse is smaller, a discharge intensity becomes relatively larger. The rising edge Tr2 of the second sustain pulse SUS2 shorter than the rising edge Tr1 of the first sustain pulse SUS1 cause relatively larger discharge intensity. Herein, the rising edges Tr1 and Tr2 mean time intervals going from an operation time of the energy recovering circuit shown in Fig. 3 until [[an]] a turning-on time of the second switch S2.